



## 2024 Competitive Exhibit Rules

**All entries/exhibits must be produced or owned in Franklin County or the surrounding counties by the entrant and must have been made within the last year (12 months).**

1. Multiple items may be entered in a category *but only 1 per class.*
2. EXHIBIT ENTRIES DEADLINES
  1. ENTRIES: will be accepted Monday, August 12th from 2 pm – 8 pm.
  2. JUDGING: will be on Tuesday, August 13th
  3. VIEWING: begins during fair dates/times, August 14-17.
  4. REMOVAL: All entries must be removed between Noon and 2 p.m. on Sunday, August 18th
3. **No viewing of entries/exhibits will be allowed during judging.**
4. No entrant may win two prizes in any given class.
5. NOTE: Any entry/exhibit not listed in the catalogue will be entered as miscellaneous and considered for catalogue next year. A ribbon may be awarded and judges decision will be final.

### ABOUT THE EXHIBITS

1. **Baked Goods**
  1. All must be made as listed by the recipe – not prepared mixes that have been purchased.
  2. The recipe for ALL entries must be attached to the entry.
  3. Contestants should only enter a half (½) cake, pie or loaf of bread and should place it in a clear plastic bag for display.
  4. Other items - enter the quantity per Category and Class. These items will be placed on a plain white paper plate for judging.
2. **Canned Foods**
  1. Should be in an approved canning jar with the lid clearly labeled.

2. No decoration on the jars or lids, as judges must remove any decoration prior to judging.
3. **Fresh Fruits and Vegetables**
    1. Contestants to enter quantity specified for the category and class.
    2. All entries will be placed on a plain white plate at the fair.
  4. **Flower Arrangements**
    1. NO ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS PERMITTED
    2. All flower arrangements should be in a container that will hold water.
  5. **Division III Crafts**
    1. Quilts should be brought with a clothes hanger to be displayed.
    2. All crafts that need to be hung for display should be brought with a clothes hanger.  
EXAMPLES: Sweater, vest, bedspreads, outfits.

All entries must be removed between Noon and 2 p.m. on Sunday, August 20th and **a ticket stub will be required**. To protect your entry/exhibit, **absolutely no early withdrawals will be allowed**.

**Neither officers of the fair nor the County of Franklin, Virginia will be responsible for damage or loss that may occur to entries or exhibits.**